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ALLIES OPEN A NEW DRIVE

MANY TOWNS ARE CAPTURED IN GREAT OFFENSIVE ON GERMAN'S SOMME POSITIONS

PARIS, Aug. 13. — The allied forces in Picardy made a heavy attack today along the entire front from Chaulnes southward in a determined effort to break the resistance of the enemy.

The allied artillery now has full control of the converging roads in and out of Noyon. The difficulty of the enemy in carrying out a retrograde movement is thus increased.

LONDON, Aug. 13.—The French launched an attack this morning on the southern part of the Picardy battle front and according to reports shortly after noon were making progress in the Valley of the Oise. The Germans are evacuating their trenches in the bend of the river west of Bailly and the French are occupying them.

To the northwest the French are almost entirely on the crest of the Lassigny Massif, where heavy fighting is in progress.

The enemy is reported destroying villages in his rear. The ruins of Fresnoy are reported to be burning. Fires have been observed by allied airmen at various points.

LONDON, Aug. 13.—The village of L'Econvillon has been captured by the French and further ground has been gained by them north of the St. Claude farm. (L'Econvillon is about three and a half miles southeast of Lassigny and virtually on the crest of the ridge overlooking the Oise.)

LONDON, Aug. 13. — German troops are evacuating trenches in the river bed of the Oise just west of Bailly, according to news received here early this afternoon.

The move has been forced by French pressure in the valley of the Oise.

The French are working around Roye to the west and the south of this important German holding point almost in the center of the Picardy battlefront and now hold high ground in this region.

The wooded area around Des Loges, south of Roye, was captured by the French last night, but a German counter attack drove them back.

Bailly is on the east bank of the Oise, about a mile and three-quarters east of Ribecourt. It is near the southern end of Ourscamp forestest, which is a great strategic value.

LONDON, Aug. 13. — British troops have gained additional ground north of Roye and on the north bank of the Somme, says the official statement from Field Marshal Haig today.

The Germans last night attacked the British positions in the Merris sector, Flanders. They were repulsed. The Germans delivered a local attack near Fonquevillers, on the line between Roye and Chaulnes. It was repulsed.

FIRED A SHOT IN HIS HEAD, BUT WILL RECOVER

OAKLAND, August 12.—There is hope for the recovery of George C. Brooks, sixty-one-year-old capitalist of Walnut Creek, who shot himself through the head early Saturday morning at the Hotel Oakland in a fit of temporary insanity caused by mourning over the death a month ago of his wife, Mrs. Louise Brooks, in Walnut Creek, according to Dr. W. E. Mitchell of Berkeley, who is attending him at the Oakland Central Hospital.

A shot in Brooks' room at the Hotel Oakland at 5 o'clock Saturday morning aroused guests, who notified Night Clerk W. C. Davis. Hotel attendants found Brooks lying on his bed with a small revolver in his hand and blood streaming from wounds in his right temple and forehead. Dr. C. L. McVey, who lives at the hotel, was summoned and Brooks was taken to the Oakland Central Hospital, where it was found that the bullet had entered just above and in front of the ear, piercing the frontal lobe of the brain, and had gone out through the center of the forehead.

Brooks did not lose consciousness, it is said, during the entire affair and was repentant for his act, according to attendants at the hotel. He said grief over his wife's death caused him to attempt suicide.

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ALLIES ROUTING GERMANS ON THE BANKS VESTLE

LONDON, Aug. 13.—Heavy local fighting is reported in progress at Flamette, on the bank of the Vesle, where the Franco-American forces are holding the line. The allies here were attacked by the enemy and forced to retire to the south bank of the river.

An immediate counter attack was launched, and according to the latest reports the old positions of the allies on the north bank of the river have been restored.

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, Aug. 13, 11:30 a. m.—Allied forces holding their new lines gained in the second battle of the Somme, improved their positions, beat off a few feeble counter attacks and increased the number of their prisoners last night are reported by aerial observers, and this morning. In the meantime the enemy appears to be moving in a considerable number of troops. Quite heavy movements westward but no really great force is available without calling on the German crown prince for assistance.

Proyat remains firmly in the hands of the British this morning, having finally been taken by them yesterday. North of the Somme the Americans spent a quiet night, the principal action in this locality being at the southern end of their position on the spur between Etinehem and Bray. There the British improved their positions along the whole length of the spur by storming and capturing enemy defenses, inflicting casualties and taking prisoners.

HEAVY WORK ON THE FIGHTING LINE

These powerful American artillerymen, with huge crowbars, are working fast to get their heavy gun into position to hurl its shells at the retreating Huns. It is a difficult job, for the earth is pitted with shell craters.

BRITISH DESTROYER SUNK BY DIVER; 7 DIE

LONDON, August 13.—A British torpedo boat destroyer was sunk by an enemy submarine in the Mediteranean on August 6. Seven of the destroyers' complement were lost. The admiralty made this announcement to day.

HUNS DROP PROPAGANDA TO AMERICAN TROOPS

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, Sunday, Aug. 11.—German airplanes dropped bombs on the American positions on the Woevre last night without inflicting damage. The enemy has sent over balloons carrying propaganda for American and French troops.

Classified Ads placed in the Record-Herald bring results.

LIGHT VOLUME OF BUSINESS TRANSACTED BY COUNCIL AT MEETING

There is too much politics in the air for the city council to get right down to business and although they were all present last night the members did not handle a great deal of work for the people.

Another batch of bids were opened for the pipe line leading to the municipal wharf from the mains of the East Bay Water Co. Those who filed bids were M. P. Holmes, $10,525; George W. Cushing, $9,-27; Tom Clinch, $10,148; American Castiron Pipe Co., $4755.40; J. E. Stanigher, $10,354.10; U. S. Cast Iron Pipe Co., $4,640.35. The bids were referred to the city attorney and city engineer for one week.

W. M. Haskell, otherwise the Richmond Dredging Co., wants the money due him from the city. He claims that the bill filed against him by the Great Western Power Company for electric energy is a mistake and attempted to prove it by a letter from that concern which he filed with the board. The matter was placed on file for further consideration.

The municipal poundmaster, the office being a part and parcel of the police department, filed a report for the month of July, showing that he had impounded 19 dogs during the month. He killed more than the accruing bow-wows, having drawn on the stock on hand, and during the past month collected for the city the sum of $6.00, which is not a considerable money-making proposition by any means.

The Sanitary Department of the Health office showed that $104.50 was collected during the past month.

Promotion of Lieutenant Roy Wells of No. 2 Company of the fire department to Captain of No. 4 Company, at a salary of $140 a month was ordered, taking effect August 1.

Promotion of Hoseman B. H. Smith to Lieutenant at No. 2 Company at a salary of $130 a month taking effect August 1.

Promotion of H. E. Clark from Hoseman of No. 2 Company, to Lieutenant of No. 1 Company, at a salary of $130 a month, taking effect August 10.

John F. Lathrop, Lieutenant of Fire Company No. 1, was given an extended leave of absence to join the Merchant Marines, and Vernon Howard of Hose Company No. 1, who joined the Naval Reserves was given an extended leave of absence.

This will add two more stars to the city's service flag, which now contains sixteen stars.

A movement is on foot to increase the license of traveling shows that come to the local theatres for a night or two nights. The idea is to charge them something like $20.00 per night.

COUNCIL MUST DEFEND SUIT IN COURT OF APPEALS

MARTINEZ, Aug. 13.—The injunction suit of H. D. Cameron of Richmond, against the city councilmen of that city to prevent them from drawing their $50 per month salaries and to force a refund of the amounts already collected by them was finally decided Monday so far as the local court is concerned, when Judge A. B. McKenzie sustained the demurrer of the defendants to the complaint, without leave to amend.

The court had already passed upon the principal merits of the action giving judgment for the defendants. The case will go to the Appellate Court for final determination.

OCCUPATION TAX OF $10 A YEAR IN NEW BILL FOR REVENUE

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13—Special taxes of $10 a year on occupation or profession, except the war industry trades, farmers, teachers and ministers of the gospel, were written into the $8,000,000,000 war revenue bill today by the House Ways and Means Committee. A similar tax was placed upon any business with receipts of $2000 a year or more, with a levy of $25 a year on wholesale houses with receipts of $200,000 or more.

Newspapers, press associations and periodicals were exempted from the proposed 10 per cent tax on the amount paid for leased telegraph and telephone wires in the pending $8,000,000,000 revenue bill, after a vigorous fight by Representative Rainey of Illinois and Longworth of Ohio. It was amended so as to apply only to the stock brokers' lines.

In addition to the ordinary duty of 10 per cent on all jewelry sold at wholesale, the committee put on a 10 per cent tax on retail sales of jewelry composed wholly or partly of platinum. This is designed to discourage such use of platinum during the war.

All the home news and excellent telegraphic news reports found in the Record-Herald.

NITRATE BARGE IS BURNED OFF PINOLE DOCKS

Fire which attacked a Crowley barge lying in the stream of deep water off Pinole Saturday afternoon endangered a thousand tons of nitrate valued at between $300,000 and $400,000.

Fire tugs from San Francisco were sent to the aid of the precious cargo, which was destined to become ammunition with which to supply the army in France, and passing ships stood by to render aid.

Nitrate burns with a slow smouldering fire, somewhat after the manner of copra, and sends up vast clouds of smoke.

No discovery of the cause of the fire had been announced, but government officials were investigating and the usual crop of stories of pro-German incendiarism were prevalent, but none could be traced to a solid foundation.

The nitrate was the property of the Hercules Powder Company and was on route to the plant of that concern at Hercules.

YOUNG GIRL RUN OVER AND HURT BY AUTO NEAR COUNTY LINE

Florence McDougal, a young girl living in El Cerrito was run down by an automobile yesterday evening shortly after 4 o'clock on the state highway when she alighted from an Oakland street car.

H. P. Jorgenson, residing at Snelling, Merced county, was driving the car and it is stated that he made no effort to stop when he saw that passengers were alighting from the street car.

Miss McDougal sustained a fractured collar-bone, and the point of the shoulder bone was broken.

Miss McDougal was rushed to the Abbott Emergency hospital and was attended by Dr. U. S. Abbott and Miss Glover, the head nurse of the establishment. After attending to her injuries, Dr. Abbott sent her to her home.

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POISONED GAS IS SPREAD ON THE OCEAN BY SUBMARINES

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—Gas from oil discharged on the water by the German submarine operating off the middle Atlantic coast, overcame six men in the coast guard station and lighthouse on Smith's Island, North Carolina, Saturday evening, the Navy Department was advised today by the commandant of the Sixth Naval District.

If the gas attack was deliberate, as most officials believe, it constitutes a new and ingenious form of "frightfulness," and, so far as has been reported was the first direct effort of the German raiders to harm persons or property on American shores.

The gas was said by the commandant of the coast guard station to have much the same effect as the mustard gas used by the Germans on the western front. The men were laid out for more than a half an hour, but apparently suffered no serious after effects.

The dispatch relating to the gas attack was one of a series concerning the German submarine warfare off the Atlantic coast received during the day by the Navy Department. One told of an attack on a submarine 100 miles east of the Virgina coast by an American destroyer, which discharged seventeen depth charges where the raider was seen to submerge. The result of the attack was not determined, but after oil had appeared on the surface of the water two bombs were dropped on the spot and the submarine was not seen again.

Sinking of the British steamer Penistone, of 4,139 tons, and the Swedish steamer Syland, of 3,031 gross tons, in New England waters near where ten fishing smacks were destroyed Sunday, also was reported to the Navy Department during the day.

WIFE GETS ALL OF JACKSON ESTATE

By the terms of the will filed for probate in the Superior Court at Martinez on Saturday, Mrs. Annie E. Jackson, widow of the late Orville E. Jackson, Richmond attorney, will receive the entire estate of her husband valued roughly at about $1,500.

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THE BATTLE OF THE MARNE

Frank Simonds understands the Macaulay method of making names stand for whole chapters of explanation, which is the best literary labor saving device yet discovered. It has, of course, other values. Thus when Mr. Simonds says that the German defeat on the Marne may prove to be the kaiser's Leipsic he suggests a picture that he might not care to fill out in detail, but which furnishes the reader useful instructive employment in filling it out for himself.

Few parallels of this sort hold water if tested too rigidly, nor does their value lie in that sort of test. Nothing that went before Leipsic parallels any of the events of the four years that preceded the second Marne battle. We find nobody in the defeated German army to occupy the place of Napoleon. Leipsic, too, was not a defeat sustained at the moment when Napoleon expected to grasp the fruit of a campaign that had promised victory. Instead it was the culmination of a losing campaign, that of Moscow.

After the reverse of that campaign Napoleon returned to France with Europe rising at his heels. The sixth great coalition to be formed against him, which now took place, included Prussia, Russia, Austria, England, Sweden and Spain. For many reasons it was the most formidable alliance Napoleon had faced. France was exhausted, and what is more the Napoleonic legend had begun to fade for her. The country was tired of war and stripped of men and Napoleon could no longer draw levies from half the nations of Europe. The grand army had been destroyed on the plains of Russia, the new one which France gave him sullenly and unwillingly was an army of the rawest conscripts. The campaign opened in the spring of 1813 and was fought in Saxony and Silesia. Although Napoleon was victorious in the opening engagements he was unable to repeat his favorite coup of shattering his opponents at a blow. Beaten armies still remained in the field against him and his efforts to deal a knockout, at Lutzen, at Bautzen and finally at Dresden, where he purchased a costly victory, were unavailing, and the end o' the summer saw him forced back on Leipsic with his enemies closing in on him.

Napoleon with one hundred and fifty thousand men, held the city with the river Elster at his back, and the allied armies of three hundred thousand men in front of him. Napoleon deferred his retreat, although the necessity of such a movement was early apparent, until too late, and then attempted to withdraw his army through the town and over a single bridge insufficient for its passage. When the allies closed in—they had been joined by the Saxon troops, who had deserted Napoleon on the second day—a large part of the French army was cut off from the main body that had succeeded in crossing the river. Napoleon lost probably sixty thousand men, and on his retreat to the Rhine that followed his army was almost wiped out.

It is easy for the historians to pick out the decisive battles, but contemporaries do not find it so simple. Leipsic was fought in October, 1813, and although Napoleon's defeat was apparent enough the allied nations were not certain until April of the following year that it was a knockout. There was another campaign, and even some defeats for the allies, on the ground now occupied by French, American and German armies, before they were in position to dictate the emperor's abdication. Probably some time must elapse before we can be sure whether Lundendorff has met a Leipsic, and in any case we must remember it required a Waterloo to make a Leipsic good.

NATIONS AND INDIVIDUALS.

"Kriegesgebrauch in Land Kriege," is a manual found on captured German officers and, translated, means "Military Usage in Land Warfare." In this manual of Prussian militarism an effort is made to justify "frightfulness," the gospel of which is summed up in these words:

"Any wrong, however great, it may be, that the war demands is allowed."

This has become a principle with the German autocracy, with the German army, with the German people. It has been preached into, taught into, legislated into Germany for fifty years.

What difference does it make who started the war and why? What difference does it make what territory or trade advantage Germany is after? Why count the cost of putting down such a policy? Why think of peace on any other terms then the complete extinction of Germany's martial power?

There must be no Krupp works. There must be no German army or navy. There must be a Germany stripped of all her power to do wrong. It is for this that the armies of the civilized nations must fight.

John McNamara, candidate for sheriff at the coming primaries, is one of the best known men in Contra Costa county and should be elected to the office to which he aspires. He is an old resident of the county and has been residing in Martinez for the past forty years, where he has raised a family and accumulated what property interests he has in the world. If you have any doubts regarding his standing in his home town, ask any person residing there and they will tell you he is one of the best and whitest men in the county. For two terms he served as councilman of the county seat and occupied a portion of the time the position of mayor. He is a good man for the job and will conduct the sheriff's office in a business way if the people see fit to elect him to that position.

It is a real relief to write about something besides the war, even if it happens to be politics. Usually the most unpleasant subject in the world, the latter becomes a poetic dream after dealing in the sordid business of killing men, though they be Huns and not fit to live. And while we do not like either war or politics, both seem to be a necessity and that being the case we must go about it cleaning up these bad jobs in the best manner possible.

Since American soldiers landed over there the tide of battle has changed for the allies and will continue along the present trend until the people of Germany will rise up and overthrow the kaiser and sue for peace. For the allies will never sign a peace pact with the present German government. That much has been decided upon. They do not have faith enough in the word of the kaiser and his high ocials to take his word for anything. When peace is made it will be at our own dictation and under our own terms.

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NOTICE TO VOTERS

A new and complete Registration of Voters is required by law during the year 1918.
Registration closes, for the purpose of voting at Municipal Elections in towns of the Sixth Class, on March 8th, 1918; for the purpose of voting at August Primary Election, on July 27, 1918; for the purpose of voting at the General Election, on Oct. 4th, 1918.
No person will be entitled to vote at any of the above elections unless he registers on or before the above dates.
You may reigster with the County Clerk or any of his deputies.
Dated February 1st, 1918.
J. H. WELLS,
County Clerk of Contra Costa County.

The following named persons are Registration Deputies:
A. C. Faris, Chief Deputy, City Hall, Richmond.
Mrs. Mary D. Neill, 154 Washington avenue, Richmond.
George K. Drew, 114 Washington avenue, Richmond.
J. R. Vaughn, 420 Macdonald avenue, Richmond.
L. J. Thole, 1928 Macdonald avenue, Richmond.
Mrs. Florilla M. Brown, Stege Branch Library, Richmond.
Miss Nannie L. Nesbit, 621 Bissel avenue, Richmond.
J. A. Deedrick, City Hall, Richmond.
Mrs. Nellie M. Scott, 635 South 26th street, Richmond.
I. M. Cryan 321 6th street, Richmond.
James M. Stewart, Standard Oil Co., Richmond.
Miss Betty Angell, Chamber of Commerce, Richmond.
M. A. Hays, 2202 Macdonald avenue, Richmond.
A. H. Mackinnon, El Cerrito.
W. H. Williams, Giant.
Frank Conlon, El Cerrito.
S. W. Adams, El Cerrito.
George Valencia, San Pablo.
Frank M. Silva, San Pablo.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

State and County Taxes for the Fiscal Year 1917-1918

Office of the Collector of State and County Taxes, Martinez.
Notice is hereby given that I have received from the Auditor of Contra Costa county the Duplicate Assessment book for the fiscal year 1917-1918, and
That the taxes on all personal property secured by real property and one-half of the taxes on all real property is due and payable on the
THIRD MONDAY IN OCTOBER
and will be delinquent on the first Monday in December next thereafter, at six o'clock P. M., and that unless paid prior thereto fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the
LAST MONDAY IN APRIL NEXT
at six o'clock P. M., an additional five per cent will be added thereto. That the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property will be payable on and after the
FIRST MONDAY IN JANUARY NEXT,
and will be delinquent on the
LAST MONDAY IN APRIL
next thereafter, at six o'clock P. M., and unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.
That all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment as herein provided, is due and payable.
Taxes are due and payable at the office of the Tax Collector, in the Courthouse at Martinez, Contra Costa county.
MARTIN W. JOOST
Tax Collector Contra Costa County.
Nov 1—Oct 4

WAR'S SACRIFICES.

The people of the United States must prepare for privations, is the warning sounded by Bernard Baruch, chairman of the War Industries Board and closer in touch with the effect the war program will have on industry than any other man in the entire nation.

"Up to this tim no man nor woman has lacked for anything because of war conditions," he continued. "It will be otherwise in the future.

"Just what the new war programme is to be we are not yet sure, but it involves a tremendous expansion over anything we have considered up to this time.

"The increased size of the army means a shortage of production. Millions of men will be taken from productive activities into the army. Their places cannot all be filled by skilled workers and there must be a period during which the industrial substitutes are learning their duties and acquiring skill.

"Then the demands of the military establishment for supplies are increasing even faster than its personnel. No one has any idea of the increased demand for military supplies unless he can check up on the flow of requisitions and estimates from the government through this department. And the problem is not alone one of fuel and steel, for ordnance and ships, but includes clothing, shoes, foodstuffs, everything that man is accustomed to utilize for his comfort and living.

"Civilian requirements and the non-essential industries must yield to the needs of the military establishment. There is but one important thing before us—to win this war.

"I should not hesitate to take anything anyone might have for his own advantage if the taking would benefit the whole of society and help win the war. Every man's life is at the call of the nation and so must be every man's property.

"We are living today in a highly organized state of socialism. The State is all; the individual is of importance only as he contributes to the welfare of the State. His property is his only as the State does not need it. He must hold his life and his possessions at the call of the State."

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

The following letters remain uncalled for in the Richmond Postoffice for the week ending August 8, 1918:

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Barnard, Mrs. F.
Barsanti, G.
Bayless, John
Bradley, Thomas
Cate, Miss Carey
Carrian, Martin B.
Connell, C. O.
Hardy, Mrs. Eli (2)
Hays, Mrs. Mary
Henderson, Mrs. W. H.
Hughes, Mrs.
Irwin, Mrs. James
Jackson, Mrs. N. A.
Molinari, Gos.
Moore, Mrs. Annie
McNeill, Mrs. Bell
Meyers, John
Oats, John
Pera M.
Shreene, Levi
Silby, M.
Sutherland, H. F.
Wallare, Mrs. Victor
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Arrive Pinole	8:55 a. m.
Reach Dodeo	9:20 a. m.
Returning	
Leave Rodeo	9:40 a. m.
Arrive Pinole	10:00 a. m.
Reach Richmond	10:25 a. m.
AFTERNOON	
Leave Richmond	12:50 p. m.
Arrive Pinole	1:15 p. m.
Reach Rodeo	1:35 p. m.
Returning	
Leave Rodeo	1:40 p. m.
Arrive Pinole	2:00 p. m.
Reach Richmond	2:25 p. m.

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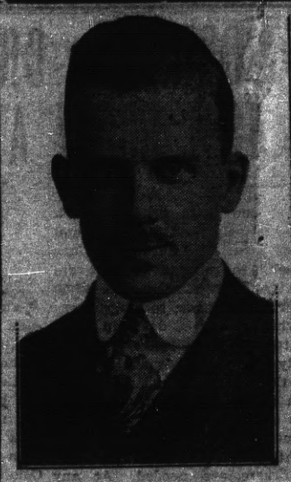

Vote for
A. B. TINNING
for
DISTRICT ATTORNEY
Primary Election Aug. 27, 1918.

R. R. VEALE
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Candidate for
SHERIFF
Primary August 27, 1918.

VOTE FOR
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CANDIDATE FOR
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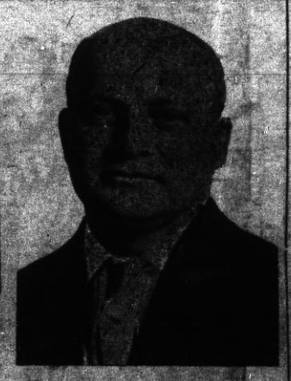
Primary Election Aug. 27, 1918.



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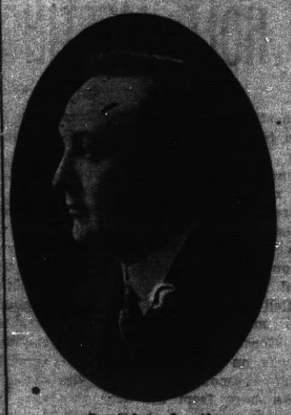
W. E. CALAHAN
(INCUMBENT)



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CHAS. F. DONNELLY
Candidate for
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BERT CURRY
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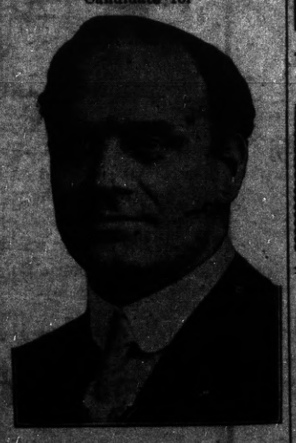
Candidate for
CORONER

AL. F. BROWNING
Candidate for



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CURRY IS NOT TIED UP WITH CORPORATION MANAGEMENT

Bert Curry, the candidate for Coroner is a Contra Costa boy, having been born at Clayton, in this county, and has resided in this county all of his life. His canvass of the county that he is making is having telling effects and every indication points to his being an easy winner on the 27th of this month at the primaries. His appointment by the supervisors was a good one, and it was a natural one, as the supervisors in making the selection had in mind the carrying out of the wishes of the voters. At the last election Curry only lacked a very few votes of being on the final ballot, he was next to the winner.

Curry is especially fitted for the position to which he aspires, he is free from all entanglements, and if elected he will not have to step aside on any inquests that he will have to hold, on account of being disqualified.

Curry is not connected up with any corporation, and it seems to be the general opinion that no man should hold that position who is under obligations to corporations. He will be just as free to see that an impartial and fair verdict is rendered in an inquest, where a man might be killed in a street car accident, as in any other character of a case.

ENTERTAINMENTS BRING IN GREAT SUM IN CASH

Good work is being done by the Red Cross by the many lodge workers in this city according to reports which are being filed by the various sub-committees each night of the meeting of the General Entertainment Committee.

Last night at the regular meeting of the Y. L. I. and the Y. M. I. reported that they made $78.00 out of their dance and Mrs. Williams reported a net amount of $58.00 for the entertainment which she gave at the Washington school.

The Eastern Star dance committee turned in another $4 as a balance on their dance. The El Cerrito Ideal Club dance committee turned in another $6.5 to the committee.

OAKLAND GIRL, LONELY, ATTEMPTS TO END LIFE

OAKLAND, Aug. 13. — "Nobody loves me and I'm in the way," said 17 year old Emily Fernandes, an orphan, after she had been taken to the Receiving Hospital suffering from poison taken with suicidal intent. The girl has been an inmate of the Alameda County Detention Home. She is expected to recover.

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BURTON BRIGGS WRITES HOME TO HIS WIFE

Mrs. Agnes Briggs of 631 Bissell has just received a letter from her husband, Burton B. Briggs, who is now at Fort Funston, Kansas, in the service of his country. Mr. Briggs resided in Richmond for some time, and then went to Arizona, from which state he was drafted. In his letter he says there are 40,000 white men at the camp and 6,000 negroes. His principal job at the present time is "drilling the rookies," and he says he enjoys it very much.

Briggs complains bitterly of the profiteering of the merchants near the camp, and says that a common steak costs you sixty cents, and a sirloin steak 85 cents. Briggs is a member of the Fifth Company, 164 Depot Brigade.

GREAT WAR FILM AT ORPHEUM IN OAKLAND WELL WORTH SEEING

Large numbers of Richmond people are going to Oakland each night to attend the Orpheum theatre where "Hearts of the World" is being shown this week by the Kinema Theatre management. This is the great war film which was taken by David Wark Griffiths when he made his European tour last year and is said by critics to be the greatest picture ever produced.

As a heart story, "Hearts of the World" has few equals, the drama dealing with characters immediately concerned in the great struggle in France. In making the film Mr. Griffiths was assisted by the allied nations on the Western Front and had for properties millions upon millions of dollars worth of heavy ordnance, men and horses which go to make up a great army. He had actual battles raging for his actors and he used actual trenches to show the life of the boys "over there."

In order to show the German side of the picture, of course, he had to resort to his large staff of trained actors, but he stopped right there. All the rest of it was staged for him in actual war scenes, including the shells soaring from the Boche batteries and the terrible engines of war which are used by the allies to stamp out a barbarous foe.

Richmond people should see this great war film, for by it you can get a clearer preception of what our boys are enduring that the balance of the world may live in peace and safety.

LINCOLN FOREST LOSES 28,000 ACRES BY ORDER

WASHINGTON, AUG. 13.—Nearly 28,000 acres of land are eliminated from the Lincoln National Forest, New Mexico, by an executive proclamation announced today to simplify boundary lines and make available for farming purposes certain tracts found to be valuable.

WORKERS FOR RED CROSS TO HOLD MEETING TOMORROW

A meeting of all Red Cross workers is called for tomorrow afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the Richmond clubhouse. The purpose of this meeting is to discuss plans, past, present and future, for handling Red Cross work in this city.

It is clear that in order to do the amount of work which has been assigned to Richmond by the National Red Cross Chapter that more workers must be secured. The great offensives which has been under way on the part of the allied forces, among which are the American boys from all over this great nation has filled the hospitals in France to overflowing with the injured. The Red Cross hospitals are appealing to the women of Richmond to send these boys bandages, bed suits and the thousand and one little articles which are imperatively needed by sick and wounded men. The question is, are you going to respond to that appeal? Are you going to give some of your spare time to help those boys who have dared death in order to protect you and yours from the rapacity of the barbarous Huns?

All these matters are up to the women of this city to be considered at this time and the time to answer the questions which are to arise is right now, for now is the time the workers are needed. At any rate all the women of Richmond are urgently requested to be present at the meeting at the Richmond clubhouse tomorrow afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Ladies, turn out and do your duty to the boys who are fighting your battles.

EXTRAVAGANCE FOUND IN AIRPLANE PLANT

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—Many cases of gross extravagance in connection with airplane production have been discovered during the investigation by the Department of Justice, it was learned today after the return of Attorney General Gregory and Assistant Attorney General Frierson from a two weeks inquiry at the Curtiss plant at Buffalo.

Until the evidence gathered has been further analyzed it is not certain whether grounds exist for criminal prosecutions, it was said.

Charles E. Hughes, who is conducting the inquiry with the attorney general, will return to Washington tomorrow and hearings here will be resumed.

SHIPS NEEDED FOR HAWAII'S PINEAPPLES

HONOLULU, August 3.—Governor C. J. McCarthy, at the instance of the pineapple growers, will request Washington to put more ships on the Islands-Pacific Coast service, in order to care for the 1918 pineapple pack.

The crop this year is the biggest in Hawaii's history. It will run 3,400,000 cases and to date only one-sixth of the output has been shipped.

The Hawaiian Pineapple Company is setting a new record by packing 3,600 cases an hour. One day this week the output was 26,000 cases.

Have the Record-Herald follow you on your vacation.

Scene from "De Luxe Annie" starring Norma Talmadge at the Richmond Theatre Tomorrow.

CRUSADERS TO APPEAR LAST TIME TONIGHT

That America is building a bridge of ships to France is more a reality than has been generally supposed, for it is shown in "Pershing's Crusaders," the U. S. Official War Film, at the Richmond Theatre that ships are being built and launched from the many shipyards of the country at a feverish rate.

In these films, released by the Committee on Public Information, George Creel, Chairman, through the Division of Films, Charles S. Hart, Director, scenes are shown in many of the leading shipbuilding plants of the country, and in all of them the ways are filled to capacity with ships in the building with men working like beavers to rush them to completion. Many launchings are shown, and each ship that goes down the ways represents another span in the bridge of ships to reach across the Atlantic.

An interesting part of the shipbuilding program is that dealing with the submarine chasers, the little speed boats that are to fight and subdue the U-boat menace. While hundreds of them have been launched and are on active duty, hundreds more are on the ways and being rushed to the water.

In the shipbuilding portion of its activities, the Government is making wonderful progress and is keeping step with the preparations for the army and aviation departments.

After viewing "Pershing's Crusaders" one feels pride in the achievement of the Government and comfort in the thought that the menace of the submarine is now a thing of the past.

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U. S. FOREST GIVES NEAR FOUR MILLION IN YEAR

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13. — Receipts from national forests during the year ended June 30 were $3,574,000, the forest service announced today. This was an increase of $120,000 over the year before. It cost about $4,000,000 to maintain the forests.

STRIKE PARALYZES INDUSTRY IN URUGUAY

MONTEVIDEO, Uruguay, Monday, Aug. 12.—Industry here is paralyzed today as the result of a general strike growing out of the tramway strike. All business houses are closed and no newspapers are being printed. The street railway service is at a standstill. Soldiers and police patrol the city.

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THRIFT STAMPS ARE BEING SOLD IN BIG QUANTITIES IN RICHMOND

At the weekly meeting of the War Stamps Saving Society Entertainment committee held last evening at the Labor Temple, great progress was reported by the several lodges and organizations who are represented on the Entertainment Committee.

Eclipse Lodge of Odd Fellows No. 403 report having taken $500 worth of the stamps during the past week.

The Carpenters' Union has already taken $500 in Savings Stamps and expect to raise this to $1,000 shortly.

The Onetah Tribe of Redmen have a hustling committee working on the drive and they are passing out pledge cards to all who are likely to be in a position to sign them. They are meeting with the best kind of success.

Gusta Vasa Lodge has started with a $50 pledge and the members as individuals have signed pledges for various amounts on their own account.

A block of the Baby Bonds have been purchased by the Eagles and the Masons have also sold a great many of these securities for the government at their recent stamp sale.

It is reported that the war savings stamps director who is in charge of this district will be in the city on Thursday evening at which time he wants to talk with as many of the leading citizens of the city as possible.

2000 PROFESSIONAL MEN ASKED FOR SHIPYARDS

SEATTLE, Aug. 12.—Lawrence Wood, labor director in charge of the local federal employment bureau, speaking at a Chamber of Commerce luncheon here today, issued an appeal for 2000 professional and business men to enlist for work in Seattle's shipyards. He declared that this step was the only logical solution to the labor shortage that threatens to delay local shipbuilding.

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BURK'S BODY WIL BE LAID TO REST AT SUNSET VIEW

It transpires that John Joseph Burke, whose badly decomposed body was found Sunday near Giant in a lonely canyon, has many relatives in San Francisco. They are Walter Burke, Mrs. Margaret Rossum, Mary Burke and Catherine Burke.

The funeral will take place tomorrow at 10 a. m. and the interment will take place in Sunset View cemetery.

STEAMER RUNS ASHORE; DODGING DIVER, REPORT

AN ATLANTIC PORT, Aug. 13.—A Brazilian freight steamer ran ashore on the New England Coast during a heavy fog today. The tide was receding at the time and observers believed the vessel to be in a dangerous position. One report was that the steamer was evading a German submarine.

A later report was that the steamer, which was loaded with sugar, had lost her way in a fog. The vessel was resting on a sandy bottom.

The steamer, formerly of German registry, was taken over by the Brazilian government when that country entered the war.

ATTENDING GRAND COUNCIL OF REDMEN

A number of the Richmond braves are attending the Redmen's grand council at Santa Cruz this week. They are Messrs. Hannum, Ripley, Church Lautensläger, Casey and Patten. The boys send back word that they are having a delightful time.

NOTICE.

Owing to the advanced cost of labor, freight, containers and stands necessarily used in putting jug water on the market, on and after August 15th the price will be advanced to 50c for 5-gallon jars.

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